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## **Charter Schools**

Marion County Health Department Concerns

- 1. K-12 School kitchens are licensed and inspected by the County Health Department. Contact the County Health Department where your school is located.
- 2. In Marion County, the two types of licenses a school might receive are: a full service kitchen and a satellite-feeding site (where the food is prepared at a licensed commissary and transported to the school).
- 3. A satellite-feeding site does require certain equipment such as a hand sink, 3-bay utensil sink, mop sink and hot/cold holding equipment depending on the amount of food preparation at the site.
- 4. Install commercial foodservice equipment only. Homestyle refrigerators, freezers, stoves, exhaust hoods and other equipment cannot be approved.
- 5. The Indiana State Department of Health will also inspect. You will need to contact them separately. The phone number is (317) 233-7177